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MARYLAND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**Substance Use Disorder Transmittal No. 14****December 15, 2014**

TO: ICF–A for Individuals under 21 Years
Managed Care Organizations
ValueOptions

FROM: Susan J. Tucker, Executive Director
Office of Health Services

RE: Medicaid Billing and Enrollment for Provider Type 55

NOTE: **Please ensure that the appropriate staff members in your organization are informed of the content of this transmittal.**

For dates of service after 12/31/2014, managed care organizations (MCOs) will not be responsible for payment to providers delivering substance use disorder (SUD) services as listed in the updated COMAR 10.09.70, available at: <http://www.dsd.state.md.us/MDRegister/4120.pdf>. These services will instead be authorized and reimbursed by the Department's Administrative Services Organization (ASO), ValueOptions (VO). The following information further clarifies policies for ICF–A enrolled Medicaid. There will be separate transmittals related to other provider types.

ICF–A (Provider Type 55)

ICF–A (provider type 55) are facilities that provide intensive inpatient services to participants with a substance use disorder. Maryland Medicaid covers ICF–A services for participants under the age of 21 when they meet the American Society of Addiction Medicine (ASAM) criteria.

Please note that a provider who delivers services as an ICF–A may also qualify to deliver other types of addiction services and should review the requirements for additional provider types on the OHCQ website: <http://dhmh.maryland.gov/ohcq/SA/default.aspx>. If a provider does wish to offer additional outpatient services, they must apply for a separate Medicaid provider account to do so.

Billing Codes

ICF-A (provider type 55) may bill for the following service:

SUD SERVICES	BILLING CODE	UNIT OF SERVICE	SERVICE LIMITS	AUTH PERIOD	COMBINATION CODE RESTRICTIONS
All Inclusive Room and Board Plus Ancillary	0100	Per day	Providers may bill per day with a maximum per diem rate of \$350	N/A	Cannot bill for H0001, H0004, H0005, H0014, H0015, H0016, H0020, H0047, or H2036

Medicaid Enrollment and ValueOptions Registration

In order to ensure continuity of care and to receive authorization and Medicaid payment for SUD services delivered after 12/31/2014, providers must complete the following before January 1, 2015:

1. Obtain certification from the Office of Health Care Quality;
2. Enroll with Maryland Medicaid as a provider type 55; and
3. Register with ValueOptions through the ProviderConnect system.

Providers already enrolled as a provider type 55 do NOT need to reapply with Medicaid, but must register with ValueOptions. If you wish to confirm whether you have an active Medicaid number, please contact DHHM.BHEnrollment@Maryland.gov.

To register with ValueOptions, please call **1-800-888-1965**; providers may press option 6 then option 8 for the consult line.

Additional Information

The Department encourages you to participate in training opportunities hosted by ValueOptions. For more information on provider trainings, please visit the ValueOptions Integration site at <http://maryland.valueoptions.com/whats-new.htm>.

To sign up for Provider Alerts from ValueOptions, please send an email to marylandproviderrelations@valueoptions.com.

To review a list of Frequently Asked Questions regarding the ASO Transition, please see <http://maryland.valueoptions.com/whats-new.htm>.